



# SIERRA MADRE NEWS

THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1944

## Get Permits for Three More Homes

Builders Get Priority Orders—New Construction Three Times Last Year's

Permits for the construction of three more small new homes have been issued by Building Inspector William Lees on the strength of priority orders recently issued by government agencies.

One went to a defense plant worker, two to persons who came here for their health and could find no living quarters.

Several such permits have been issued in recent months, boosting the total for new building to \$26,402 for the first six months of 1944, as against \$8043 for the corresponding period of last year.

The total was upped appreciably by farsighted townfolk who, realizing the manpower situation, are having their roofs repaired now instead of waiting until the winter rains arrive.

D. R. Dener of Detroit, Mich., presented letters from two physicians and a minister to secure his permit for a new, very small dwelling at 414 E. Highland ave. T. N. LaFluer is building a home the cost of which is limited to \$2700 at 601 E. Grand View ave.

He is a defense worker now residing in Monrovia. Andrew Heddle, here for his health, is building a home the materials for which must cost not to exceed \$2500 according to his priority.

Other permits issued for minor changes and repairs were as follows: M. A. DeTemple, 390 W. Sierra Madre blvd., reroofing, \$350; Mrs. Earl Topping, 30 Vista Circle dr., reroofing, \$40; Thomas W. Neale, 66 W. Sierra Madre blvd., alter store, \$200; L. E. Morgan, 494 N. Auburn, build garage, \$250; L. M. Hansen, 237 N. Baldwin ave., alter front porch, \$200; S. Guston Nelson, 2201 Santa Anita dr., add room over garage, \$1500; E. E. Hitchcock, 165 E. Sierra Madre blvd., reroofing, \$2616; Ethel Davis, 52 W. Sierra Madre blvd., roof porch, \$25; J. E. Gossard, 625 W. Mariposa ave., add to accessory building, \$80; C. Baetz, 68 W. Grand View ave., alter porch, \$150; C. A. Pound, 40 E. Laurel ave., repair roof, \$167; R. M. Thayer, 646 W. Highland ave., reroof, \$300; W. E. Johnston, 555 Avenida st., build two-car garage, \$200; Charlotte Gahan, 308 N. Grove st., repair house, \$200; H. V. Maule, 67 W. Laurel ave., reroof, \$150; A. E. Groth, 136 E. Highland ave., repair house, \$300; R. E. Summers, 671 W. Orange Grove ave., alter garage, \$200.

## Congregational Church School will Open Next Monday

The annual vacation church school of the Congregational Church opens Monday, July 24, and will continue every week day except Saturday until Friday, August 4. Classes from kindergarten through the eighth grade will begin at 9:30 and continue until 11:30 a.m.

Rev. Frederic Grootsema, who will be in charge, will be assisted by an able corps of teachers. There will be no tuition, and every child is welcome. The theme of the session is to be that of the International Council of Religious Education: "The American Indians."

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To share their happiness with their friends and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bever allowed their daughter, Mrs. Howard of 97 S. Hermosa ave., to give a reception for them at the Howard home on Sunday, July 16. Preceding the reception Mrs. Howard served a dinner to the family—three sons and their families. At the table were P. J. Bever and wife of Arcadia, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bever of Bell Gardens, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bever of Rosemead with their children.

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## WOMAN BADLY BURNED WHEN JARS OF CANNED FRUIT EXPLODE, WRECKING HOME

Victim, Mrs. E. G. Everett, Hopes Other Women will Profit by Her Experience

Mrs. E. G. Everett of 298 W. Highland ave. has painful burns about the face, arms, legs and body she received on Saturday while trying to do a good turn for a neighbor will serve as a warning to other women planning to can fruit and the products of their victory gardens.

Fruit on a neighbor's apricot tree was ripening and spoiling in the neighbor's absence on vacation. So Mrs. Everett decided to preserve it for her. She used the oven method, leaving one and one-half inches of space at the top of the tightly sealed jars for expansion under heat.

At the indicated time Mrs. Everett took the eight jars from the oven, removing them to the drainboard of the sink. The weather was cool. The sudden change in temperature caused the jars to explode, showering Mrs. Everett with the boiling fruit and scattering it over an area of more than 25 feet, including walls and ceilings.

Neighbors, hearing the report of the explosion, were at the door at once to offer help, and Capt. Everett declares if it had not been for their gracious aid the entire kitchen, dinette and service porch would have needed a new coat of plaster, for the glass was driven into the enameled surface of the wall so that it had to be dug out. Window glass was shattered, electric light bulbs were broken, the refrigerator will move north from their present quarters in San Pedro.

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## Cpl. Meissen is Killed on Saipan

Another Sierra Madre Boy Lost When Marines Stormed the Beaches

Another Sierra Madre Marine, Corporal Nicholas Meissen, formerly of 89 E. Alegria ave., was reported killed in action in the invasion of Saipan. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Meissen, now residing in Downey, and his sister, Mrs. Robert Corcoran of 308 Adams st., received no information other than that he had been reported killed.

No date was given in the telegram that came here, but he was a member of the battalion from which many casualties were reported when the first wave day except Saturday until Friday, August 4. Classes from kindergarten through the eighth grade will begin at 9:30 and continue until 11:30 a.m.

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## First Friday Night Fling Tomorrow

Cords and Cotton is Motif for Teen Agers' Affair at the Woman's Clubhouse

Sierra Madre teen-agers will have their first "Friday Night Fling" tomorrow night, July 21, at the Woman's clubhouse.

Bob Cass, chairman in charge, and Mary Ann Woehler, acting chairman, at a meeting held last Thursday night completed their plans for the dance which will have as its motif "Cords and Cotton."

A record player has been loaned by Dr. and Mrs. J. Stadden Miller and is being supplied with all the favorite records. Tickets are 32¢ plus 8¢ Federal tax and can be obtained from Bob Cass, Mary Ann Woehler, Joan Woehler, Jodie Cox, La Vonnie Babbit, Pete Merriman, Jackie LeFleur, Mickey Goodwin, Jack Meter, Mike Castaneda and Mrs. Harold Drury. Tickets can also be purchased at the door. Dancing starts at 8 p.m. and lasts until midnight.

Special dances and entertainment are being planned, including Phyllis Jean Lentz singing "Begin the Beguin," George Tyree singing "The Song Is You," and a duet of the two singing "All the Things You Are."

Chaperones who will be present for the first "Fling" will be Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kortkamp, Mrs. J. Stadden Miller, Mrs. John Woehler, Jack Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drury.

The Snack Bar, which is under the direction of Peter Marrinan,

will sell cokes, pepsi-colas, root-beers and sacks of fudge. Platters of free cookies will decorate the bar. Mrs. Richard Merriman will be the dispenser of the "snacks."

These every other Friday Night Flings are being sponsored by the Woman's Club, with Mrs. Harold Drury and Mrs. J. Stadden Miller representing the club. However, success of the dances will be the result of youth initiative and effort. —GLEAM DRURY, Publicity Chairman.

## Residents Here 43 Years Celebrate Golden Wedding

Married at Hugerton, Kan., on July 18, 1894, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Adelmeyer of 439 E. Highland ave., residents of Sierra Madre for 43 years, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary quietly at their home on Tuesday.

The young couple came to California in 1901 and shortly thereafter moved to Sierra Madre because of its healthful climate and matchless water supply. The city was in its swaddling clothes then. There were only two stores and a shoe repair shop. Mrs. Adelmeyer recalls. "There were not many houses and many people, especially those who had come out of the East for their health, were living in tents," she said.

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Two Clans Gather for Reunion Here

There is a gathering of the J. Smith clan at the family home at 509 W. Sierra Madre blvd. this week. Lt. Ben R. Smith of Ft. Campbell, Ky.; Pfc. Bruce Smith of Ft. George Washington, and his wife; Dr. Graeme C. Smith of Portland, Ore., his wife and seven-year-old Bobbie and 15-month-old Dorothy Patricia; Ferris Smith of Glendale, and Merrill Smith of Los Angeles.

An extra special family event took place at the F. D. R. Moore home at 689 W. Sierra Madre blvd. on Thursday evening, July 13. The guests were Dr. Graeme C. Smith and wife (the former Margaret Moote) and two children, Ebbie and Dorothy Patricia, from Portland, Ore., and Rev. Dwight Poundstone and wife (the former Kathleen Moote) and two children, Donnie and Frances, of Los Angeles.

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## ENVIALE RECORD OF RED CROSS SURGICAL DRESSING SQUAD CAUSE FOR CELEBRATION

By DR. ARTHUR O. PRITCHARD

July 14 the surgical dressing unit, under the chairmanship of Mrs. William Colligan, completed one year of service in the Sierra Madre chapter of Red Cross. This unit carries on its work as part of the surgical dressing quota of the Pasadena district rather than as an independent chapter activity, due to limited space and equipment. The group, however, has received high praise from the Pasadena chapter for excellence of production both in quantity and quality.

In the year past 361 different individuals have participated in making three types of sponges allotted to the group. The total production has been 114,242 different dressings. Since the usual number of hours per week in which work is done has been only 20 and the average attendance rarely exceeds 25 people, this shows proficient work on the part of those volunteers who are the nucleus counted on to turn out finished, acceptable materials.

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On Friday a birthday spirit pervaded the surgical dressing room at the local Red Cross when punch and cookies were served visitors and workers in honor of the day. During the morning interlude the group was informed by Mrs. Colligan that she could no longer act as chairman of the group as she has accepted a position on the staff of the Adobe pottery and can therefore not give as much time to surgical dressings as for the year past.

Regret at losing Mrs. Colligan's leadership was expressed by all present but became further appreciated when she announced that her place would be taken by Mrs. R. A. Pratt, known to all as an able executive and worker. Mrs. Colligan will still participate in the evening groups as a supervisor and Mrs. Jones will continue as Mrs. Pratt's first assistant.

On Monday, July 17, a surprise luncheon in honor of Mrs. Colligan was given at the "Play-House" of General and Mrs. Edward Clinton Young, 31 E. Orange Grove ave. All the supervisors were hostesses and Gen. Young added much to the enjoyment of all with his willingness to share delects hands at work.

The fine administrative work

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wyman of 31 E. Mira Monte ave. have returned from Fontana and have again opened their house, the former Governor Merriam place. In the four months they were gone they were fortunate in being able to dispose of their Fontana holdings to advantage, and now are thinking forward to a winter garden and real living such as Sierra Madre citizens know.

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## Army Experts Puzzled by Weather

Air Force Meteorologists

at Airfields Find the 1944 Brand Very Unusual

The unseasonably cool, foggy spring and early summer weather in Southern California coastal areas has been the most unusual in 60 years, according to the weather experts and their records, but the 1944 brand of weather in most of the western States has been equally queer and puzzling to weather experts of the Army Air Force at the Army airfields and training camps, according to Sgt. George R. ("Russ") Lovejoy who is flying over the

**Departing Members  
of Thimble Club are  
Honored at Party**

Mrs. Charles Cuddy of 658 Orange dr. and Mrs. Earl Topping were honored by the Canyon Thimble Club at a luncheon in the patio and on the terrace of the charming home of Mrs. Frank Cox of 251 Vista Circle on Friday. The occasion was the departure of the honor guests from Sierra Madre, Mrs. Cuddy making her new home in Los Angeles, and Mrs. Topping returning to Yerington, Nev., where Mr. Topping is employed. A surprise gift was presented to Mrs. Cuddy at the close of the luncheon, as the members of the club wished her happiness in her new home.

**Gets Letter from  
the President**

In a letter from the White House sent to Mrs. Harry Noake, 585 Manzanita ave., the President expressed his gratitude for the artistic scrapbooks she has so faithfully sent at regular intervals to Mr. Roosevelt's grandchildren. For some time now, Mrs. Noake has made these scrapbooks and sends them to crippled children in hospitals, schools, and homes all over the country.

\* The two motherless children of Horace Pipkin of W. Highland ave., have gone to the care of a brother of Mrs. W. H. Spillar in El Paso, Tex., where they are spending the summer in the mountains. Mrs. Spillar formerly resided at W. Montecito ave.



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**PLEASANT SURPRISE  
FOR LINVILLES**

Mrs. P. B. Linville of 585 Vista Circle dr. was pleasantly surprised Thursday afternoon, July 13, when Edwin Enyart, PWA pilot who makes the regular tri-weekly run from Los Angeles to Albuquerque, called. He was accompanied by Mrs. Linville's sister, Mrs. J. C. Hewitt, and daughter, Mrs. William McTyre, both of Los Angeles, and also by two girlhood friends of Mrs. Linville from Missouri, Mrs. Blanche Eckart and Miss Ethel Enyart.

**Knitters Needed at  
the Red Cross**

Mrs. Janet Wood, knitting chairman of the local Red Cross, announces that there is now khaki wool available for knitting sleeveless sweaters and beanies for service men on active duty and those in hospitals and rest camps.

**Baldwin Divorce  
OK'd by L. A. Judge**

Lucky Baldwin's grandson, Baldwin M. Baldwin, was a legal resident of Nevada when he obtained a divorce in that State in 1939 from Mrs. Rowena Schneider Baldwin, Judge Henry Willis of the Los Angeles Superior court has ruled in refusing to set aside the divorce.

The court found that Baldwin was not only a Nevada resident before and at the time the divorce was granted, but continued his residence in Reno afterward.

**"Alien Corn" Coming  
to the Playhouse**

Rare talents, like rare plants, find barren soil no ideal place for growth and beauty, according to Sidney Howard's hit drama, "Alien Corn," which comes to Pasadena Playhouse stage from July 28 to 30 as the fifth playbill in the current Midsummer Drama Festival series.

"Dodsworth," current Drama Festival attraction, closes its Playhouse run on Sunday, July 23.

\* Mrs. James Brazell of Oklahoma City, who has been visiting her twin sister, Mrs. Fannie Sea of 198 W. Montecito ave., has left to spend a few weeks at the Linda Linda sanitarium near Riverside. While here Mrs. Brazell and Mrs. Sea entertained at tea Sunday evening, July 16, Miss Betty Russ of Leopold, Belgian Congo, and Mr. and Mrs. McRae of N. Michillinda ave. Miss Russ was for several years in charge of an important hospital in the Congo and was a fascinating guest.

**State Picnic**

The 38th annual Illinois summer reunion picnic will be held all day Saturday, July 22, in Bixby Park, Long Beach.

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**Young People Home  
from Camp in the  
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The Sierra Madre group of young people who have been at Camp Pilgrim Pines in the San Bernardino mountains came back Sunday evening radiant with the thrill of living in the great outdoors.

Among the 114 Southern California young people of the Congregational church those from Sierra Madre who attended were Vic Champlin, son of Mrs. Marguerite Champlin of 329 Auburn ave.; Gertrude and Fanning Oakley of Suffolk ave., Carolyn Johnson, daughter of Arthur Johnson III of 154 E. Sierra Madre Blvd; Doris and Grace Lawrence of E. Orange Grove ave.; Velma Pickett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pickett of 201 W. Highland ave.; Joanne Finch of Adams st., and Phyllis and Sylvia Young of Olivera lane.

Adult sponsors of the group from Sierra Madre included Rev. Frederic Groetsema and wife of 169 S. Baldwin ave. as director of religious activities and dean of girls, respectively; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bush of 220 N. Sunnyside ave., who had charge of the music; Miss Margery Adams of 625 Auburn ave., camp nurse, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson of 71 Suffolk ave., who were counsellors and had charge of the handicraft. Under the competent direction of these two, the Sierra Madre group brought home an altar cloth three by four feet in size, made in spatter work, of which they are justly proud.

**Sierra Madreans at  
Army Actor's Party**

Mrs. R. E. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kern of W. Alegria ave. were guests at a party given last week in honor of Tech. Sgt. Sterling Holloway at the home of his mother at 1707 Oak st., South Pasadena. Sgt. Holloway is at home recuperating from a strenuous 13 months' engagement as lead in the Army show "Hey Rookie," which has been playing on the front battle lines sometimes three or four times a day. The play had an eight month's run at the Belasco in Los Angeles before it was taken to the G's at the front. There it ran for seven weeks in the Cassino area in Italy, after it had been for 11 months in North Africa.

The remaining portion of Sgt. Holloway's unit has gone on to Burma. Before coming home he was hospitalized in Charleston, S. C., and in New York.

\* Prof. and Mrs. R. D. Milligan of Las Cruces, N. M., are spending the summer with Mrs. Milligan's father, Dr. L. M. Hurt of 721 W. Orange Grove ave. Prof. Milligan spends most of his time commuting between Sierra Madre and the University of Southern California where he is taking work in his own field of economics and business administration, while Mrs. Milligan (the former Mary Hurt) cares for a small son.

\* Miss Jeanette Carlson of 184 W. Montecito ave. entertained for the past week, Miss Elsa Winersteen. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wintersteen, missionaries returned from Bolivia, South America, and residing in Los Angeles during their furlough.

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\* Mrs. S. C. Straub of 270 E. Alegria ave. entertained at dinner Saturday evening in honor of her husband who has been spending the past three weeks at the Veterans' Hospital at Santa Fe. The guests were the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Talbot of E. Alegria ave., and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hempstead of Ramona ave. Mr. Straub's co-workers at the Red Cross headquarters will be glad to learn that he anticipates an early return to his duties.

\* Miss Dorothy Moote of 689 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. and Miss Betty Penn of 119 Auburn ave. were co-hostesses at a farewell party given at the Moote residence for Miss Mary Sheriff Thursday evening, July 13. The occasion was Miss Sheriff's departure for the East.

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**Boy Scout Training  
Course Attracts  
More Attention**

Increasing numbers of parents and townspersons are attending the Boy Scout leadership meetings in Pritchard Hall at the Congregational Church on Tuesday evenings to learn, at first hand, the story of Scouting. The discussion Tuesday night was particularly interesting, relating to "The Boy" in Scouting.

"The nature of the boy" was presented by Luke Gervais, followed by a brief talk by Calvin Floyd, First Class Scout Troop 1, on what he thought of scouting. "It is your duty as parents of these Scouts," Calvin said, "to learn how your sons are trained. This leadership course is a fine thing. I certainly recommend it, and am sure that the other Scouts join me."

Boatswain's Mate Sea Scout Bruce Newberry instructed and entertained the audience with some intricate knotting. Henry Gregor, assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 3, spoke on "The Appeal of Scouting." Harry Lange outlined the fundamentals of "Patrol Organization." Clarence Huntsinger, Cub committee man, reviewed the first meeting of the course, and Louis George explained "Troop Leadership."

Larry Appleford was made Senior Patrol Leader of the course, and Harry Lange assumed the role of Scoutmaster.—ALICE A. FLOYD, Publicity Chairman.

**Friday Night Fling**

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*When men speak ill of thee, so live that nobody will believe them.* —Plato.

## A Shameful Record

It is a tragic commentary on human carelessness that 30 per cent of all highway-railroad grade-crossing accidents last year resulted from passenger cars, motor buses, trucks or motorcycles crashing into the sides of trains. There were 937 accidents of this needless nature, which killed 236 persons and maimed 1400 others.

Even more graphic evidence of the heedless, headlong rush into disaster which characterized many of these accidents is found in the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission that 360 of the tragedies took place at crossings protected by lowered gates, watchmen, trainmen, or audible or visible signals.

More appalling still is that California led all the States in the United States in this type of accident, with 87 instances recorded here in which reckless motorists drove into the sides of trains, with violent death or critical injury as the penalty of their folly.

That shameful record certainly indicates that we should heed the signs—and Stop, Look and Listen! Ordinary observance of common-sense driving rules can put an end to almost all such accidents. And with so much of death and injury on the war-front, we just can't afford to add to the toll of human misery by such tragic carelessness on the home-front.

## Something New

Have you heard of the Ladies Retail Volunteer Corps? Probably not, for as yet it exists only as a suggested plan. In the months to come, however, the L.R.V.C. may take its place along with the other patriotic activities which women are now conducting to help in the war effort. What is, or will be, the Ladies Retail Volunteer Corps? It will be composed of women who do not have to work through any financial necessity, but who are willing to serve on the home front by putting in a few hours a day in retail store sales work. All or part of their net salaries will be turned over to any charity they designate. Their service would not continue beyond the end of the war. Women of this organization will wear a simple uniform carrying the letters L.R.V.C. on the shoulder or arm to identify them as assisting in the present emergency. The public will know that they are not only giving their time to help in meeting civilian needs, but are also giving their earnings to the various charities.

The Volunteer Corps is expected to be developed on a local basis. It can readily be seen that many women of financial independence or social prominence who would not otherwise consider saleswork can now give their services through these local groups without hesitation. To them it will present a unique and interesting opportunity to meet the public from the other side of the counter.

## They Fight for This

In these dramatic, history-making days when everybody is busy with war work and burdened with increased personal concerns, the obligation of every adult to exercise the voting franchise is even greater than in normal years.

Few among us could not find some other important job to be done on election day, precluding, perhaps, a visit to the polls. But none will fail to cast a ballot who stops to consider that the right to vote is one of the democratic blessings that our sons and brothers are fighting to maintain.

Even the comparative newcomer did not leave behind in his old community his responsibility to vote. Being away from home or from his previous place of registration is not a valid excuse for failure to fulfill this most important public duty.

To voters who will be in new communities and new precincts in November, the office of the Secretary of State is prepared to forward ballots on request. Such requests should be addressed to the Secretary of State, Sacramento, California; they should give the applicant's present address and the last home address where he was previously registered. Ballots will be returned to qualified applicants by November 2, enabling voters to participate in the presidential, congressional and local elections in November.

When men of other lands are dying for the precious right of self-government, and men of this nation are laying down their lives as well as to help preserve it here, the voting franchise ceases to be a privilege to regard lightly and accept only if nothing more interesting intervenes. It becomes a solemn and sacred duty to be fulfilled by every adult American.

## Sounds Good

There has been much speculation about postwar trade possibilities but little that rings with the authenticity of the report by Eric Johnston, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States who reports from Moscow that the Soviet government plans huge purchases of U. S. goods at the conclusion of the war. From Mr. Johnson's report it is assumed that the Russians are prepared to buy many billions of dollars' worth of American goods at the end of the war. This report is encouraging to American manufacturers who have been somewhat dubious about what their export position will be after the war. The needs of the global war have spread the fame of American manufactured goods throughout the world. This promises dividends in future business that will undoubtedly play a large part in our postwar economy.

This reminds us of the historic trade made with Russia just 77 years ago when William Seward, Secretary of State, signed a paper by which the United States paid Russia \$7,200,000 for undeveloped and—what seemed to many—worthless territory of Alaska. In fact, so little faith did Americans at large have in the future of this new territory that it became known as "Seward's Folly."

Today, Alaska's salmon industry alone grosses annually \$35,000,000 in round figures, while the value of the cans in which the salmon is packed has exceeded \$6,000,000 in one year.

## Here and There



Dean A. G. H. Bode

To continue our notes on the islands of the Pacific, we cannot help thinking of what the war has done. While it has brought out the heroism of "fuzzy-wuzzy angels," and shown their skill as scouts and their limitless kindness as stretcher-bearers, it has taken a terrible toll in devastated areas. It means whole villages wiped out; coconut palms destroyed by thousands; produce of native gardens stolen, and no seed to re-establish their taro, banana and sweet potato plantations; canoes, nets and fishing gear destroyed; acres of sage palms destroyed or used as roofing for Army buildings; grassland burnt off for airfields; wild mulberry trees which provide tapa cloth for clothing, and forests where animals were hunted for meat, raided and destroyed by fire, and no trees at hand with which to replace the lost canoes. Many natives have lost everything.

THIS arouses our sympathy and our hopes that all will be made good to them again. The Atlantic Charter is taken seriously there, especially article 6, which reads: "They (the nations) hope to see established a peace which will accord to all nations the means of dwelling in safety within their own boundaries, and which will afford assurance that all the men in all the lands may live out their lives in freedom from fear and want." The charter, rightly interpreted, also provides that no nation or individual shall seek "aggrandizement" in land, money or power, at the expense of the island peoples, as was done in a bare-faced and ruthless manner for over a hundred years. The rights and interests of the natives who have been so good to us will dictate their return to their home districts to establish their deserted or destroyed villages; to rebuild their houses and replant their gardens. Our part when possible will be to help them to be progressive villagers, and while disturbing as little as possible the social structure of their lives, to teach them to develop their lands and their interests to the best advantage.

SOME will be heard to say, "What we have won from the enemy is ours to do with as we like." But the real question is not of territory but of human beings. They are not ours to do with as we like. And their chief security, if they are not to be serfs of the white man, lies in the ownership and development of their own farms—"every man under his vine and every man under his fig tree and none to make him afraid," which is an ancient way of expressing freedom from want and fear. The missionaries strove for this result from French, German, English and American protectors.

THE same ideals are followed in the Gold Coast where a cousin of mine is the Governor, where no land of the natives may be bought by the white man, and where the natives hold responsible positions as commissioners and advisers, and where the natives, who provide half the world's cocoa, were protected from exploitation by the cocoa interests. Van Loon, who wrote a history of the Pacific, thought that when some natives, who used to travel hundreds of miles in canoes, fighting and capturing island after island, killing and head-hunting, finally settled down in peace and prosperity on a fertile shore, they lost all incentive and fell into decay as a race. But now the finest characters among the natives, as soon as they become educated Christians, have a new incentive and sail hundreds of miles to help other islanders, teaching simple religion and kindness, educating in agriculture, and bringing medical help, and with the help of able missionaries, forming a new civilization.

THE Times of London, which is not given to overstating, has recently printed the following: "The modern missionary is often a man and more often a woman of affairs. The idea that he is likely to be a narrow and somewhat foolish fanatic has vanished. The great missionary organizations are of international importance. Their leaders are consulted by statesmen, and their advice is not without influence on public policy. The sympathy of missionaries with native races and their knowledge are of obvious value to officials" (meaning governors and administrators and colonial secretaries). It will probably help in the reconstruction after the war if we can spread a sympathetic understanding of the mind of the native. He has a philosophy of life which is different from ours, as the Mexican's is and the Chinese, according to Lin Yu Tang. Some critics accuse the native of want of incentive and of idleness. This is unjust. The native could reply: "You buy clothes that others made, you import your food, you pay others to do everything for you; they build your house and mend your boat, and then you call me idle when I work at everything; I make my clothes, get up early and grow my food, build my own house, make my own canoe, my tools, my fishing and hunting gear; I go out and hunt my meat, and move around the villages doing all sorts of community tasks that you would never do, and which you never notice."

A FRIENDLY observer says: "The chief fault of the native, from the white man's point of view, is really his greatest excellence. He is so simple in his habits and mode of life that he does not care to toil and moil for those things that other people value. He is content with his own plain living, and cannot see why at a stranger's bidding he should leave all he loves to face hardship, unaccustomed food, a master with a capricious temper, loss of liberty, and work which is always too severe for his constitution. When taken to the white man's country, the islanders cannot stand the hours of work and changes of climate, and the reproach against the trade is that it kills four Kanakas to one white man. The native knows his own capabilities better than his critics do. He has acres and acres of ground at the food gardens carefully cultivated by means of wooden digging sticks, and clever irrigation systems." He is not lazy. His system is different. He would not like to work on an assembly line at nut 48 on a Ford. But the native can learn our trades and loves to work when he has an object. He can absorb our culture and our music. The villagers built a cathedral with the help of one white man. His capacity to learn is limited only by our ability to teach.

IT seems that it is in kindness that the Christian native excels. There is a story of a wounded doughboy in the jungle grass, lying for two or three days in the blazing sun, and longing for water. At last in despair and perhaps delirium he cries out something about his mother believing in God, and if there is a God wouldn't He send him water. And it happened that a Christian native was going about carrying water and helping any wounded he could find, and the soldier heard some words in the soft speech of the Papuan, "See, I'm here. I bring water. God is here." The soldier drinks, help is summoned, a life is saved. It can be said of these natives, in the words of the Bible: "And God said, I will dwell in them, and walk in them, and they shall be my people and I will be their God."

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Church of the Ascension

(Episcopal)  
Corner Baldwin and Laurel Aves.  
Rev. John S. Neal, Rector  
Elizabeth L. Farrow, Organist  
SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion (Followed by breakfast in the Parish House).  
10:30 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.  
Tuesday—St. James, 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
Thursday, 10:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.

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### Bethany Church

(The Round Stone Church)  
Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Minister

Sunday—9:30 a.m., Bible School. Classes for all ages.  
11:00 a.m., Morning Worship.  
6:30 p.m., Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 p.m., Evening Meeting.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

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### Christian Science

Hermosa and Highland Aves.  
First Church of Christ, Scientist  
Branch of The Mother Church,  
The First Church of Christ, Scientist  
in Boston, Mass.

"Thou, O Lord, art a God full of compassion, and gracious, long-suffering, and plenteous in mercy and truth." This declaration of the Psalmist will be the Golden Text in the Sunday Lesson-Sermon on "Truth" in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston. Sunsay School, 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service, 11 a.m. Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Testimonials of Christian Science will be given.

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### Congregational

The Church of the Singing Tower  
Rev. Frederic Groetsema, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Church School.  
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.  
Nursery provided for small children.

5:00 p.m.—Pilgrim Fellowship.  
6:30 p.m.—Chimes Concert.

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### Church of The Nazarene

191 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.  
Rev. Mrs. Thelma Steiman,  
Minister

Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service, 6:30.

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Evening Sermon, 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer meeting, 7:30, Wednesday.

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### St. Rita's Shrine

Rev. Leo Schiebel, C. P., Pastor

Masses daily, 6:30 and 8 a.m.

except Saturday when Mass is said at 6:30 only.

Sunday, 6:30, 8 and 11 a.m.

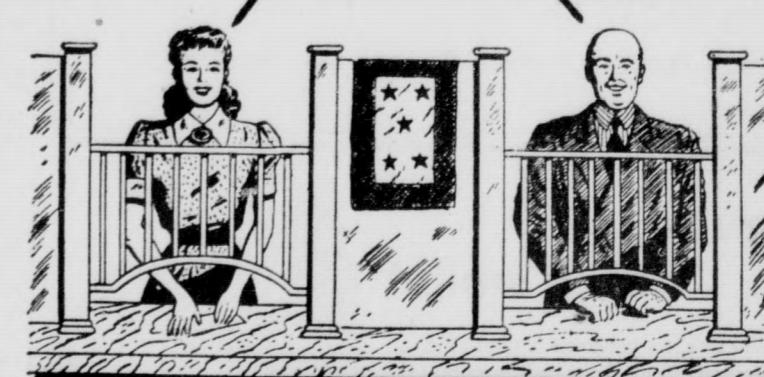
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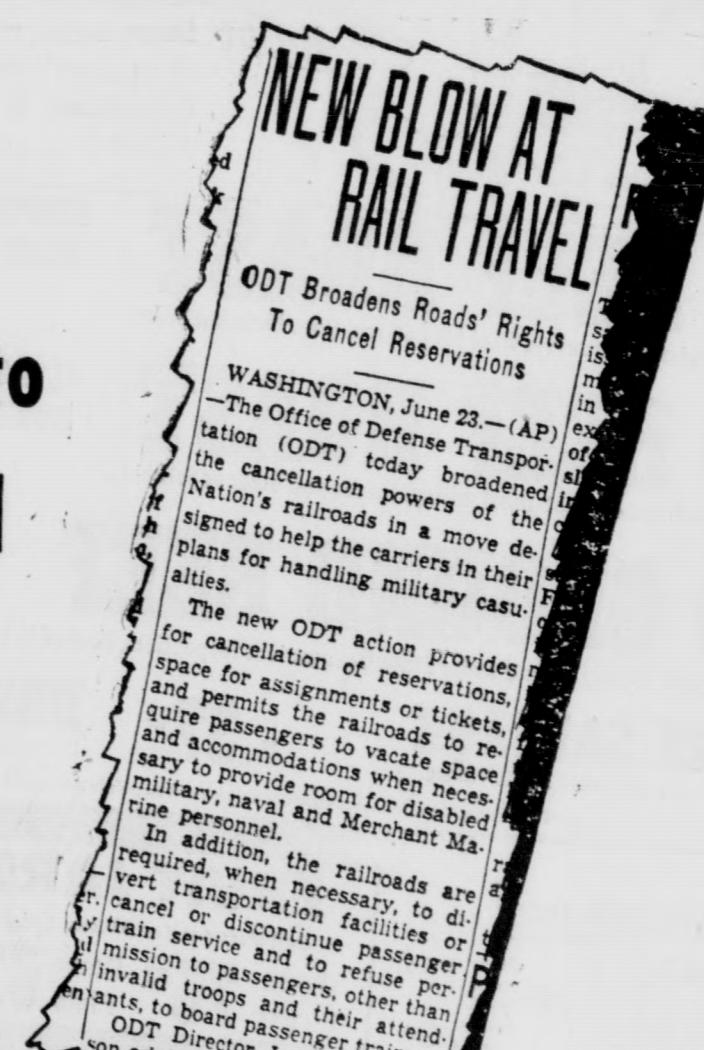
If the war has brought new problems to you, bring them to us. In the same spirit of friendliness and mutual cooperation which has built this community, we shall endeavor to help you in every way possible.

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As you may have read in the newspapers, the Office of Defense Transportation has given the railroads authority to take train space from civilian passengers at any time, to make room for wounded service men.

We sincerely hope that people planning trips not essential to the war effort will cancel their plans so that more room will be left on trains, and so make it unnecessary to take these drastic steps. We are going to take care of these wounded men first. They come first with us, and we believe they come first with you. But we and other railroads would dislike very much to cancel reservations at the last minute, or to make people already on trains give up their space.

The invasion of Europe has started, and how great the toll of wounded will be nobody knows. We have our wounded from the Pacific coming in too. And more and more cars must be taken for them from the restricted amount of equipment left after the regular military requirements are met.

We cannot guarantee that if you start a trip you will be able to get space returning. You must face that fact. If you're away from home on a pleasure trip and emergency space cancellations must be made, you may have great difficulty getting back.

For some time we have been urging people not to travel except on essential business. We haven't enjoyed doing this. For many years we have been trying to promote travel, and it "goes against the grain" to suggest that people stay off the trains. The very fact that we have issued these appeals should

indicate the seriousness of the travel situation. And the new ODT order emphasizes this still more.

Why don't we provide more cars, more trains? Virtually no new cars can be built during war time. Materials are scarce, and car builders have been making guns and tanks and other war equipment. With the biggest army and navy in our history, about 63% of all Pullman sleeping cars have to be used exclusively for military service. Travel by men in uniform on furlough, or traveling on orders, plus the greatly increased volume of business travel due to the war production effort, taxes the capacity of the remaining equipment used in regular passenger train service. There are no more passenger cars available. We must get along with what we have.

We have now reached the point where there just isn't room on our trains for people who don't have to travel.

People planning a vacation or other non-essential trip may think "There's always room for one more."

Well, there isn't.

If you are planning a train trip not essential to the war effort, we strongly advise you to change your plans, now.

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## SIERRA MADRE NEWS

**With  
Sierra Madre  
Boys and Girls  
In the Service**

on leave for 12 days prior to his transfer from Fort Meade, Md. During the weekend of his leave, his brother, Aviation Cadet Milton Blakeman, arrived home for a day before going to Mather Field, Sacramento. Milton had been stationed at Minter Field, Bakersfield.

Bob Osti, S 1/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Osti, 271 Grove St., arrived home last Thursday night on a 10-day leave. He is stationed at Terminal Island and expects to be shipped out after his leave.

Murray Haskell of the Merchant Marine is home on a 30-day leave from San Francisco visiting his mother, Mrs. M. Haskell of N. Hermosa ave.

Lincoln Paschall, son of Mrs. Jack Paschall of Singing Wood dr., left Monday for induction into the Navy. His training camp is not known as yet.

Leslie Miller, brother of Thomas as Miller Jr., of 65 E. Sierra Madre blvd., who went into the service as a physical instructor, is now a Chief Petty Officer stationed at the New Hebrides Islands in the South Pacific. He is a graduate of P.J.C., where he was prominent in all sports, at one time being captain of the P.J.C. football team and was left end on the U.S.C. team for two years. In a recent letter received by his brother, he mentioned meeting one Sierra Madrean, Guy Scott, on a transport from New Caledonia.

A letter from Pfc. Raymond Sanchez to his brother, Massy Sanchez of 163 N. Grove st., tells of his experience in the French invasion area. "I've got me a foxhole deep enough to bury a cow, so don't worry," he wrote. He said the K rations are better than the boys expected. "People in France give us wine and candy along the road, but we can't understand the darn things they say," he adds. Ray was in the division that captured 2000 Germans in France and was in the battle of Cherbourg. He has been overseas for about five months.

Pvt. Edmund Blakeman, son

of Mr. and Mrs. Ford F. S.

Blakeman of 117 E. Grand View ave., arrived at Camp Butner, N. C., last week after being home

heat, thunder and mud, but misses his Sierra Madre pals and home. His address is: Pvt. George N. Babbitt, 1920737, 3701 Basic Unit, Sect. S., Flight 108C, Amarillo A.A.F., Amarillo, Tex.

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## SIERRA MADRE NEWS

### Round The Town

CHEVROLET Coupe, no repairs  
needed. 110 N. Lima. E:44

ONE-HORSE mowing machine,  
\$25. 5½ yds. Liberty silk dress-  
goods, 40 inches wide, predomi-  
nantly grey-green in color, \$15,  
cost \$30. Diamond, ¾ plus, \$12  
carat, \$450. CU. 5-5462. E:44

GILTIE folding trailer. Sleeps  
four people. Good condition.  
Dr. Tiller, 522 W. Sierra Madre  
blvd. CU. 5-4556. E:44

LAWSON love seat, pre-war mod-  
el, \$60. Sturdy knotty pine  
dinette table and three chairs,  
\$20. CU. 5-4726. E:44

CARVED dining table, matching  
chairs. Table opens to 8 feet.  
Heavy carved occasional table,  
CU. 5-6729. E:44

PRATICALLY new baby buggy,  
bathtub, and bassinet, 45 West  
Highland. E:44

ELECTRIC Auto-ette, good con-  
dition. 267 N. Baldwin. CU.  
5-5578. E:44

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Blue silver Persian kitten.  
CU. 5-5552. G:44

### WANTED ROOMS—BOARD

WANTED—Room and board for  
elderly retired lady in refined,  
quiet home. Mrs. C. R. Hope-  
well, 256 Adams st. H\*44.45

### MISCELLANEOUS

WANT riders to Los Angeles,  
leaving Sierra Madre at 6:30  
a.m. CUster 5-4733. 136 W.  
Highland. I\*44

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all vegetables except tomatoes  
by the correct use of a pressure  
cooker to be sure of killing  
botulinus germs. In the last few  
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poisoning have cropped up in  
widely different parts of the  
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write Good Housekeeping  
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New York 19, N. Y.

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### SIERRA MADRE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. May Limbaugh  
of 197 Auburn ave. is entertain-  
ing her daughter, Mrs. Albert  
H. Gavit of Gary, Ind., who came  
west to reassure herself that her  
son, Albert H. ("Mickey") Gavit  
had suffered no ill effects  
from his harrowing experiences  
on the Chief which was wrecked  
near Kingman, Ariz., recently.

Ford S. Blakeman of 117 E.  
Grand View ave. returned home  
last week from a 10-day business  
trip to Mexico City. He went by  
plane and business is taking him  
again this week to San Fran-  
cisco.

Thomas Fox, daughter of the  
late William Gellatly, arrived  
here from White Plains, N. Y., in time  
for her father's funeral last week.  
She received a telegram en route  
advising her of her father's death.  
She intends to remain with her  
mother, Mrs. William Gellatly, of  
Denver, Colo., and Thomas O. Smith,  
Mo.M.M. 1/c and wife of San  
Diego, and Mrs. Edith Smith of  
Denver. Mrs. Edith Smith has  
been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Evans  
for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Evans  
of 717 W. Grand View ave. are  
having as guests over the weekend  
Miss Harriett Smith of Denver,  
Colo., and Thomas O. Smith, Mo.M.M.  
1/c and wife of San Diego, and  
Mrs. Edith Smith of Denver. Mrs.  
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cousin, Mrs. Evans for several  
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Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Edwards of  
Fontana, former well-known resident  
of N. Baldwin ave., who was  
active in Woman's Club and civic  
affairs, was here for a short time  
Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Knee of 215  
N. Sunnyside ave. were the hosts  
a week ago Sunday to a group  
of 43 Los Angeles friends and  
Sierra Madre neighbors. Mrs.  
Knee set tables on the lawn and  
in the patio and accommodated  
the guests in her usual easy and  
happy manner.

If your health isn't what  
it should be—if you're a bit  
under par—go at once to a  
good Physician—the best you  
can find. And then carefully  
follow his considered counsel.  
One of his first suggestions  
may be to bring his prescription  
here for compounding!

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Lake of  
Columbus, O., are occupying the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Nester Young  
at 209 W. Highland ave. while the latter are vacationing at Hermosa Beach for the month.

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"SAN FRANCISCO"  
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TROCO 1 lb. ctn.  
**Margarine** 23c  
2 Points

DONALD DUCK 18 oz. can 46 oz. can  
**Grapefruit Juice** 13c 30c

Ovaltine 8 oz. jar 16 oz. jar  
**34c** 61c

BREAKFAST CLUB (ANY GRIND) 1 lb. jar  
**Coffee** 31c

Ivory Snow lg. pkg.  
Price .22425; tax .00875

Kelloggs 10 oz. pkg.  
**Pep** ..... 9c Krafts Cream 5 oz. jar  
Cheese ..... 17c (Pineapple or Olive Pimento)  
(1 Point)

Quaker Puffed Wheat 4 oz. pkg.  
**Sparkies** ..... 9c Nestles 1/2 lb. pkg.  
Cocoa ..... 18c

Cinch 16 oz. pkg.  
**Waffle Mix** ... 23c

Cinch 16 oz. pkg.  
**Hot Cake Mix** ... 18c

Swansdown 44 oz. pkg.  
**Cake Flour** ... 25c

Pillsbury's Best 25 lb. bag  
**Flour** ..... \$1.35

Dainty Mix 16 oz. can  
**Fruit Cocktail** 17c  
(28 Points)

Del Monte 17 oz. can  
**Whole Figs** ... 18c  
(20 Points)

Hunts Prune 30 oz. can  
**Plums** ..... 18c  
(12 Points)

White House 20 oz. can  
**Apple Sauce** ... 14c  
(25 Points)

(For Jelly Making) 1 lb. pkg.  
**Parowax** 2 for 25c

A & H  
**Baking Soda**  
1/2 lb. pkg. 1 lb. pkg.

4c 8c

Nucoa  
1 lb. ctn.

26c  
2 points

Ohio Blue Tip ctn of 6  
**Matches** ..... 26c  
(P. 6/.2535 T. 0065)

Liptons 1/4 lb. pkg.  
**Black Tea** ..... 26c

Frizz Ready Mixed 5 oz. pkg.  
**Ice Cream Mix** 27c

Skinner's Cereal 10 oz. pkg.  
**Raisin Bran** ... 10c

Heinz Brown or Yellow 6 oz. jar  
**Mustard** ..... 9c

Ehmanns 8 oz. bot.  
**Peanut Butter** 29c

Sudders 1 lb. jar  
**Peanut Butter** 29c

Olive Oil ..... 55c

Leslies 2 lb. pkg.  
**Salt** ..... 7c  
(Plain or Iodized)

Del Monte 8 oz. can  
**Tomato Sauce** 5c  
(2 Points)

Camay bar  
**Toilet Soap** 3 for 20c  
(P. 3/.195 T. .005)

Campbell's Chicken 10 1/2 oz. can  
**Noodle Soup** ... 14c  
(3 Points)

Old South 18 oz. can  
**Orange Juice** ... 18c

Sunsweet qt. bot.  
**Prune Juice** ... 25c  
(3 Points)

Borden's 1 lb. jar  
**Hemo** ..... 59c  
(Drink Your Vitamins and Like 'em)

Heinz Brown or Yellow 6 oz. jar  
**Mustard** ..... 9c

Ehmanns 8 oz. bot.  
**Olive Oil** ..... 55c

CARNATION ROLLED 16 oz. pkg. 2 1/2 lb. pkg.  
**Wheat** 11c 22c

Ivory Flakes lg. pkg.  
Price .22425; tax .00575

HILLS RED CAN BRAND 1 lb. jar 2 lb. jar  
**Coffee** 31c 61c

KELLOGGS 11 oz. pkg. 18 oz. pkg.  
**Corn Flakes** 8c 12c

GRAPE NUTS (Instant Cooking) 16 oz. pkg. 30 oz. pkg.  
**Wheat Meal** 12c 21c

HEARTS DELIGHT 18 oz. can 46 oz. can  
**Tomato Juice** 8c 18c  
6 points 18 points

KILLS SOW BUGS, SNAILS, SLUGS 1 lb. pkg. 2 1/2 lb. pkg.  
**Snarol** 24c 49c  
Price .2335; tax .006 Price .47775; tax .01225

Calo Dehydrated 8 oz. pkg.  
**Dog Food** 3 for 10c  
(P. 3/.0975 T. .0025)

Monarch Red 20 oz. can  
**Kidney Beans** 14c  
(13 Points)

Hunts All Green 19 oz. can  
**Asparagus Tips** 35c  
(10 Points)

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FRESH DRESSED FRYING  
**Rabbits** lb. 49c

A GRADE B GRADE  
**T Bone Steaks** lb. 50c lb. 43c  
14 points 14 points

A GRADE B GRADE  
**Sirloin Steaks** lb. 42c lb. 34c  
13 points 13 points

**Steer Short Ribs** lb. 20c  
no points

EASTERN SLICED  
**Bacon** lb. 42c

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**Pork Picnics** lb. 30c

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**Minced Ham** lb. 30c

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Large Jar—Deodorant	Deck—Triumph Playing Cards ... 27c
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**PEACHES** 3 lbs. 21c

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